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Attorney Docket Number	1/1376
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COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	10 / 624,144
Filing Date	07/21/2003
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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

New carboxylic acid amides, the preparation thereof and their use as pharmaceutical compositions

the specification of which

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